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SCHEMES OF THE VALENTINE-

M'LAUGHLIN GANG OF FORGERS.

Many Securities, Mostly of Bogus Con-

cerns. Found in the False Bottom

of a Box at Hoboken.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30. - Damaging evi-

dence against Stephen A. Dutton, supposed

to be the chief of the Valentine-McLaugh-

lin gang of swindlers, has been obtained in

ken when McLaughlin was arrested.

Among the papers found in the box was

the prospectus of the River Coal Oil Com-

pany of West Virginia, with an alleged

paid-up capital stock of \$3,750,000. With

this corporation and the bogus Standard

Coal and Oil Company it was proposed to

"beat" Wall street by floating the stock.

The officers were A. A. Dutton, president;

F. F. Seelig, secretary, and M. Wickizer,

treasurer. The general offices were at

Hamlin, W. Va. McLaughlin proposed to

land in Kentucky, which he claims to own.

and public buildings to be erected in the

city in the wilderness were found. Many

of the securities found were genuine and

many were of unknown origin and of ques-

tionable value. Among the securities found

in the false bottom of the box were bonds

and stocks of the Mecklenberg Gold and

York, with land in Pinal county, Arizona. It was signed "William Williams, presi-

STUDENT MISSING.

Polytechnic, Has Disappeared.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 30.-Frank

Flickenger, a member of the sophomore

tute, disappeared from this city two weeks

ago last Friday and nothing has been seen

of him since, although his friends have

made an active search to ascertain his

whereabouts. Flickenger was one of the

students who was suspended recently for

grounds, and it was while he was on sus-

pension that he went away. It is thought

that he has either gone to Cuba to join the

nsurgents or that he has gone West and

is in Cleveland, O., where his father is president of the Flickenger wheel works.

He entered the institute last September.

coming here from the Rose Polytechnic of

pined some theatrical company. His home

class at the Worcester Polytechnic Insti-

of the gang.

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Chicago.	*12.0	22200	*11.50	3.50		
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Goshen & Elkhart	6.35		11.15			
Benton Harbor	6.35		11.15			
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AMERICAN LEGION OF HONOR

Changes in Laws Concerning Suspensions Made by the Supreme Council.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30 .- The Supreme Council of the American Legion of Honor, Supreme Commander John N. Groin presiding, met in special session to-day at the Lafayette Hotel. Fifteen States were represented and thirty-eight members were present. The business of the special session consisted in the discussion of an amendment to the laws governing the reinstatement of suspended members, and the fol-

lowing by-laws were adopted: A member who has been suspended, to to be reinstated shall make written application for reinstatement and be re-examined and furnish a favorable certificate from the medical examiner on a form prescribed by Council. Such examination, together with the full amount of all assessments called on or before the date of suspension and the assessments called for the month in which the member is reinstated, shall be mailed to the supreme secretary. If approved by the medical examiner in chief supreme secretary shall immediately forward receipt for the assessments re-

ceived to the council of the member's re-No applicant for reinstatement shall be deemed as reinstated in the order written upon the order until the examination shall have received the approval of the medical examiner in chief. If the examination is rejected the money shall be returned. No member suspended for sixty days who is fifty years of age or upwards shall be reinstated or readmitted. Provided, however, that no reinstatement of a member under suspension shall occur in any case in which payment of the arrears for dues, fines assessments necessary to reinstate is on the day of or at the time after

the death of any such member.

NEW HAMPSHIRE'S SENIOR SENATOR SEEKING FRESH NOTORIETY.

Wants Another International Monetary Congress in Face of Previous Failures and British Opposition.

MR. BRYAN ON "BIMETALLISM"

HE THINKS DEFEAT AT THE POLLS DID NOT INJURE HIS CAUSE.

Many Politicians at Canton Yesterday -Senator Lodge and Others Confer with McKinley.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 .- Senator Chandler is a man of intense enthusiasm in everything that interests him for the moand expressed himself earnestly in favor authorizing the secretary of the treasury if success should not crown them. This is to issue low-rate, short-term bonds. Mr. Mr. Chandler now comes forward with another proposition which, to his sanguine mind, presents no trouble at all in passing the present session. This time he wants a commission authorized to meet similar commissions from other countries and discuss that time-worn delusion, an international agreement on the coinage of silver.

If Mr. Chandler will go down into the vaults of his memory he may recall that about the closing days of the Fifty-third Congress the free-silver senators passed through Congress a resolution authorizing the appointment of a commission of nine members-three to be selected by the Senate, three by the House and three by the President of the United States-who were to attend the international monetary commission conference which the young German Emperor had then announced his intention to invite to meet in Berlin. President Cleveland, it was then predicted by the Journal's correspondent, would never appoint those three commissioners allotted to him, because it was predicted here the international conference would never be held. And so it proved, for young William learned eventually that to have international conference you must have international attendance, and he was not very long in discovering that there was not much enthusiasm over international bimetallism in his own empire and absolutely none in Great Britain, so that international conference has never been called and never will be. The European nations are heartily weary of these conferences. Within the past decade there have been three, two at Paris and one at Brussels, and all three have the same results-voluminous reports of speeches, but absolutely without lota of practical result, so far as the wider coinage of silver is concerned. There is nothing to prevent President Cleveland authorized several years ago, but on the other hand there is nothing to warrant the hope that another international conference, even if attended by the leading commercial powers of Europe, will result in These nations would anything practical. accept an invitation from this country to attend such a conference, but at the last moment the delegates from Great Britain would undoubtedly do what

BRYAN'S POST-ELECTION VIEWS.

they have done at every preceding conference-solemnly announce that they were not authorized to bind the British governuse a hundred-thousand-acre tract of waste ment to any action taken at the conference, and this announcement always put for a city, which he called Hampton Park a stop to all further proceedings. City. Handsome maps showing choice lots Doesn't Think Silverism Was Killed at the Polls Nov. 3. NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- In the December number of the North American Review. published to-day, Mr. Bryan has an article Copper Company, of Baltimore; of the in which he discusses the result of the Chesapeake Fire Insurance Company; of the Louislana Pierre Phosphate Mining Company; of the Platte Canyon Mining election as affecting the status of the silver question. The issue on which the election turned he describes as "the greatest issue of the Garfield Coal and Silver Mining Company; of the Bertha and Edith Gold Mining Company; of the Manley Consolidated Mining and Milling Company; of the Standard Union Manufacturing Company; of the United States Trust and Title Currents Chicago convention in favor of the free coinage of silver forced on the people of this country a study of the money question in general; and within the last four months United States Trust and Title Guarantee more people have been simultaneously en-Company; of the Foster Electric Company and of the Hydro-pneumatic Oil Company of New York. A security of undoubted value was found in a 7-per-cent. second mortgage bond of the Salem, Rome & Dalton Railroad Company, No. 3434, dated March 11, 1882, to run to 1960. From this gaged in its consideration than ever before in the history of the world. The result of this study, Mr. Bryan declares to be "temporary defeat but permanent gain for the cause of bimetallism." Mr. Bryan regards | noon. it as a significant fact that the silver senthe coupons had been clipped up to date. One of the bonds was that of the Cedar timent was strongest where the question had been longest considered, that is to Tree Mining and Milling Company, of New eay, in the West and South. In Mr. Bryan's opinion, the cause of bimetallism made more rapid progress than any cause ever made in such a short time. He expresses says the syndicate has floated a lot of pahis assurance that the election can be by per of this "William Williams," who is a retired sea captain, living in Brooklyn. Thus far it was believed he was the dupe no means regarded as a conclusive settlement of the question at issue. The advocates of free coinage are convinced, he says, that they are laboring in behalf of a large majority of people, not only here, out throughout the world, and, according to the writer, they propose to continue their contest, confident that four more Frank Flickenger, Graduate of Rose

years of experience will convince many who have thus far resisted arguments. This confidence, Mr. Bryan says, is confirmed by the history of recent elections. Mr. Greeley was defeated in 1872, and yet Mr. Tilden was elected in 1876. Mr. Blaine was defeated in 1884, but Mr. Harrison was elected in 1888. The Republican victory of 1888 was followed by the Democratic victory of 1890 and the election of President Cleveland two years later. Mr. Bryan counsels the successful party to remember that thousards of Republicans have been held to their party by the pledge

that it will try to secure international bimetallism. In reference to the gold-standard Democrats, Mr. Bryan feels assured that they cannot do as much in 1900 as they have done this year. They have delared their affection for Democratic principles, while they spared no effort to se-cure the success of the opposing ticket. "They cannot," he says, "disguise them-

CANTON, O., Nov. 30 .- Lunch at the Mc

Kinley home to-day was delayed until after

the arrival of Gen. Horace Porter, of New

York, General Porter and Senator Lodge

were guests at the meal. The stream of

visitors, which began early in the morning,

continued during the afternoon, and this

was one of the busiest days Major McKin-

ley has experienced. Aside from members

of Congress and other distinguished visi-

tors, there was an unusually large number

of people who made purely social calls to

pay their respects and many entire stran-

During the afternoon Dr. T. N. Jamieson

national committeeman of Illinois, called.

To a reporter he said his call was a social

one and also for the purpose of talking

over questions of policy with Major Mc-

Kinley. "I did not even send a line of con-

gratulation to President-elect McKinley

after the election, and it seemed proper

gers who merely called to shake hands.

M'KINLEY'S CALLERS. Senator Lodge, Gen. Horace Porter and Others at Canton.

WANTS MORE MONEY. Northern Hospital for Insane Submits

Its Annual Report. The report of the trustees and superin tendent of the Northern Hospital for the Insane at Logansport was submitted to the Governor yesterday. The board asks that the maintenance appropriation be increased from \$90,000 a year to \$100,000 a year in order to care for the additional patients admitted with the completion of the new annexes for which the last Legislature made a speeighty-four beds to the capacity of the ospital, making its total capacity 610. There are enrolled now 618 patients. During the two years covered by the report have been discharged as recovered, fiftyone as improved, twenty as incurable and four as not insane. Ninety-nine have died during the two years. The board asks for a specific appropriation of \$5,500 for cement floors, walks and other minor improve

Representative C. D. Sheldon, of the Houghton (Mich.) district, stopped over this afternoon on his way to Washington for a conference with Major McKinley. Representative T. B. Burton, of Cleveland, accompanied by Dr. Henry W. Kitchen, called during the afternoon. Henry T. Oxnard, of California, president of the National Beet-sugar Makers' Association, is in the city to confer with Major McKinley, and was given an audience at the house and was given an audience at the house during the afternoon. Among the other callers were Rev. E. P. James, of Delaware, and William T. Lewis, ex-commissioner of labor of Ohio. Representative Charles N. Fowler called for a short visit during the forenoon, and had a conference with the President-elect. Hon. M. H. De Young, of the Chronicle, San Francisco, accompanied by Mrs. De Young, arrived during the early morning and were at the McKinley house for some time, Mrs. De Young spending nearly the whole morning with Mrs. McKinley while the gentlemen talked. Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, who was prominent in the campaign work, accompanied by her son, W. H. Foster, en route East, stopped over for a social call. Representative H. C. Van Voorhees, of the Zanesville (O.) district, called early this afternoon, and ex-Congressman John R. Thomas, of Metropolis, Ill., who reached the city Sunday evening, called at the house during the morning. Albert L. Ordan, a former Cantonian, but now a leading business man of Duluth, Minn., called to pay his respects.

Senstor Lodge when seen at the station and was given an audience at the house

to pay his respects. Senator Lodge, when seen at the station this afternoon, declined to discuss the ob-ject of his call or the probability of action

Choate a Candidate for the Senate. NEW YORK. Nov. 30 .- The Press tomorrow will say: "Joseph H. Choate is a candidate for the United States Senate, ment. A few days ago he was interviewed | His friends have made him so, and he has a declaration which means a contest in sent for, expressed his gratification and surprise and accepted as told."

Gleason's Demurrer Overruled. NEW YORK, Nov. 30.-Judge Gaynor, in the Queens County Court, Long Island City, to-day announced his decision as to the election laws. Judge Gaynor refused to allow the demurrer. The mayor was indicted for not appointing one hundred Jeffersonian Democrats, which party is recognized by the State committee as the regular organization in Queens county. Mayor Gleason says the applicants were not competent to serve.

Bryan Gets One California Elector. SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 30 .- Final returns from Santa Clara county, completing the State returns, show that Martin, Bryan elector, has defeated Flint, McKinley elector, by 492. This gives McKinley eight electors from California and Bryan one.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

Council of Administration Decides on

Last Week in August as the Time. BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 30 .- This afternoon the national council of administration of the G. A. R. met with Commander in Chief T. S. Clarkson in the chair. Those present at the meeting were William H. Armstrong, of Indianapolis; F. M. Sterrett, of St. Louis; Alfred Scheffler, of St. Paul; Thomas W. Scott, of Fairfield, Ill.; Charles A. Shaw, of Brooklyn; Roscoe D. Die, of Michigan; J. J. Kent, of Trenton; General Burbank, of Chicago; Albert Tray-ner, of Council Bluffs, J. S. Palmer, of Chicago, and J. I. Winans, of Troy, O., chief of staff. It was decided by the committee to have the encampment in Buffalo the last week of August, beginning Aug. 23. During the meeting a telegram was re-ceived by Chief of Staff Winans from President-elect McKinley. The telegram was as follows: "I will be pleased to see General Clarkson and staff in Canton on Wednes-

Secret matters relating to the encampment were discussed at the meeting of the executive committee. A reception and banquet was tendered to General Clarkson and the members of the national council by the local committee at the Elliott-square Club

RAINES EXCISE LAW.

"Teddy" Roosevelt to Be Asked to Explain His Denunciation of It.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- A legislative inquiry into the workings of the Raines excise law was begun here to-day. The committee of investigation consists of five members of the State Senate, with Mr. Raines, the "father" of the law, chairman. It is expected that the hearing will continue throughout the week, and that one ever submitted to the American people in missioner Theodore Roosevelt, who, last time of peace." The declaration of the week, gave out a newspaper interview three columns report that the insurgents upon the law that it could not have been more inefficacious had those who framed it had the purpose of making it a statute This afternoon District Attorney Battle went on the stand and was questioned by Senator Raines and others. His testimony elicited nothing beyond the commonplace. To-morrow morning Chief of Police Con-lon will be examined and Police Commissioner Theodore Roosevelt in the after-

CEMETERY IN DISPUTE.

Controversy Involving Ownership of

W. H. Harrison's Burial Place. CINCINNATI, Nov. 30 .- There is about to be a legal disturbance over a graveyard contiguous to the tomb of ex-President William Henry Harrison. The Harrison heirs claim that the cemetery in question is their property, and they gave notice to the township trustees that they will be held responsible if they attempt any act of ownership. It is said that the Harrison heirs propose to remove to the vicinity of Har-rison's tomb the remains of John Cleves symmes and other historic occupants of the cemetery and then sell the cemetery for town lots, using the money thus obtained to improve the resting place of the distinguished dead. The friends of other occupants of the ground are opposed to the abandonment of the cemetery and will push their objections into court if necessary.

ON GROUND OF NEGLIGENCE.

Heirs of a "Live Wire" Victim Awarded \$7,000 Damages.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30 .- An opinion was to-day filed by Judge Dallas in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, affirming the judgment of the lower court in the suit of Henry M. Garden, administrator of James A. Mason, deceased, against the Newark Electric Light and Power Company. The action was tried in the Circuit Court of New Jersey and resulted in an award of \$7,000 damages for Mason's death. Mason was a lineman. In April, 1894, while he was engaged in Newark in making splices to wires strung on a telegraph pole he came in contact with a "live wire" and was killed. The defendant was held responsible upon the ground of negligence, it being contended that the wire was not properly covered.

Two Murderous Youths. SILVER CREEK, Neb., Nov. 30.-Last night two brothers, aged fifteen and seven-teen years, named Shornfeldt, living two miles north of here, shot Owen Hutchings. a farmer, while milking in his barn. They hen assaulted Mrs. Hutchings in the house with a revolver. She got away from them and hid in the attic. The young outlaws ransacked the house, finding about \$20. The boys have both been captured and claim Hutchings owed them some money, giving this as a motive for committing the crime for me to make a personal call." he said. Hutchings was shot in the back of "I did so before the election and think it neck with a charge from a shotgun. Hutchings was shot in the back of the

right to do so again. There is no significance other than that in my coming READ!

WEYLER WITHIN STRIKING DIS-TANCE OF CUBAN INSURGENTS,

and if His Courage Has Not Oozed Away During the Night He May Engage Maceo and His Men To-Day.

MARCH FROM ARTEMISA

RECONNOITERING PARTIES UNABLE TO FIND TRACE OF REBELS.

Gen. Calixto Garcia's Account of the Capture and Destruction of a Town by His Band of Cubans.

HAVANNA, Nov. 30 .- Captain General Weyler, probably goaded by the criticism of his enemies, has lost little time in leading his army to the strongholds supposed to be occupied by General Maceo and his band of said to them that he will not repudiate any insurgents. It was reported to-day that of passing, at this coming session, a bill honorable efforts made in his behalf, even | Maceo had been seen in the vicinity of Consolacion del Norte, almost due north of the Chandler thought there would be no trouble about passing that bill, but it was remembered by some less enthusiastic person that just such a bill known as the Dingley bond bill had been sent to the Senate and there converted by a rousing majority into a bill for the free and unlimited coinage of silver. Nothing daunted, Mr. Chandler now comes forward with ancity of Pinar del Rio and about half way ments of General Weyler reached here today. At 2 o'clock during the afternoon of Thursday he left Artemisa, following the advance guard of his columns, which were flanked by squadrons from the Principe Regiment. He was accompanied by General the demurrer filed by Mayor Gleason to the | Ruiz, who commands a brigade, and by indictment found against him for violating | General Escaribano, his chief of staff, and the aid-de-camp. The Spanish forces followed the highway, and little else but ruins, ashes, dynamited culverts and desolation were seen of the once picturesque landscape. Twice the columns were compelled to halt on account of the partially destroyed roadway, and it was not until 7 o'clock the same evening that the troops arrived at the River Bayate, three miles from Candelaria. By that time darkness had already set in, and the columns camped there for the night, forming an interesting and attractive spectacle-campfires burning brightly on all sides, the cooks preparing supper, while the soldiers hunted for fuel, for the ensuing four years follows submarked out the camp lines, helped put up the tents, washed, brushed, oiled and polished away the stains of travel left by the day's march. The captain general was very gracious to General Escaribano and to the correspondent of El Imparcial, of Madrid, who, as a very great favor, was al- being, in the opinion of the administration, lowed to accompany the troops operating

> At 5 o'clock the next morning the reveille sounded, breakfast was hurredly prepared and at 6 o'clock the columns resumed the march to Candelaria, still following the highway. Some time later the troops ar-rived in sight of a spot upon which an en-gagement evidently had been fought with the insurgents, and it soon became known that it was where the Spanish force under General Seguro met the enemy under Maceo on Feb. 7, and the former afterwards occupied San Cristobal. The troops on Friday last found the bridge near that spot destroyed by fire, and the highway thus being impassible the columns made a detour, camped for the night at a convenient place near the River Calvers and entered San Cristobal at 9 o'clock the next morning. They there found all the houses decorated were welcomed with enthusiasm by a crowd of people. The columns were afterwards drawn up in a main street, where they were inspected by the captain general The Spanish commander, after a brief chat with General Seguro, who is in com-mand at San Cristobal, left that town, go-ing westward. Before doing so, however, General Weyler expressed great satisfaction at the behavior of the troops on the march, saying he was much pleased to notice that there had not been a break in the columns from the time of leaving Artemisa until they arrived at San Cristobal. During the past week a column of troops led by General Obregon has been recon noitering in the direction of Sabana. An other column, commanded by General Seguro, has been operating in the direction of Puercos Gordos, and a third column, unhas been feeling for the enemy in the vicintoilsome work, the commanders of the recently destroyed a number of prefectures and country dwellings. Reconnoitering extended from the railroad to the coasts. Quite a quantity of cattle was found, but of the insurgents nothing material was dis-

night had chicken, rice and omelettes.

Quinton Hernandez, classed as a "rebel ncendiary," was shot this morning outside of Cabanas fortress. La Lucha, commenting on the letter from Fitzhugh Lee, jr., son of the United States consul general, asserting that his father was not responsible for much of the talk attributed to him in newspapers in the United States, says: "The general talks what and when he likes, and not when others wish. That we already know here, but there are many persons in Cuba and in the United States who do not know it.' As the result of several skirmishes the insurgents have had three killed and nine

A dispatch from Cardenas announces the arrest there on a political charge of Dr. At 9 o'clock this morning a sick soldier in the Havana Military Hospital while looking out of a window was shot by a sentinel who had been ordered to prevent the inmates from looking out, inasmuch as persons who had been imprisoned for political offenses and were ill were in the hospital. The sentinel thought the soldier was one

these political prisoners attempting to

CAPTURE OF GUAYAMARO. Gen. Calixto Garcia's Account of the Destruction of the Town.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- President Palma, of the Cuban junto, has received a letter from the camp of Gen. Calixto Garcia, giving details of the capture of Guayamaro by the insurgents. The letter says that not only did Garcia's army capture the town, but enough arms and ammunition to fit out 400 recruits. General Garcia's forces numbered nearly 5,000 men. He made a desperate attack on the fort, using the two annon which the insurgents had with good effect. He drove the Spanish troops from their position and occupied the town, which was later destroyed by the torch. In the battle 180 Spaniards were taken prisoners. The arms and ammunition captured were 125,000 cartridges, 200 Mauser rities, 160 Remington rifles and two field pieces. General Garcia says that his men have not suffered from the yellow fever and are in first-class condition and have a good supply of amsaid, march westward to join General Maceo, but will remain in Puerto Principe,

TRIED IN PRISON.

Letter from Melton, One of the Men Captured on the Competitor. NEW YORK, Dec. 1,-The World this morning prints a facsimile letter from Ona Melton, one of the Competitor prisoners.

(dungeon) 41, Havana, Cuba, Nov. 18, 1896." and reads, in part, as follows: "The Competitor case was continued the cuarte de banderas (flagroom) for the

Maza and myself were taken. Fernando Lopez Saul, the naval judge instructor, said that our case would soon be settled. How, I have but little idea, and, in fact, do not care much. I had rather be sent to Ceuta than kept here indefinitely." The letter was smuggled out of prison. When it was announced a week ago that the Competitor prisoners were being tried

again by secret court-martial in the Cab-anas fortress and that they were not al-lowed counsel, nor even an interpreter, General Weyler's subordinates made a vo-ciferous denial. Cardenas's Statement Denied. MADRID, Nov. 30 .- The Count of Case cued from Impending Destruction.

Miranda, the husband of Christine Nilsson, the singer, who is said to be the "confidential man" of the Spanish premier, Senor Canovas del Castillo, flatly denies the statements made by Senor Armas Cardenas, in a pamphlet published in the United States on Nov. 26, the substance of which, as cabled to Europe, is that Cardenas met Miranda in Paris and Madrid last summer and by Miranda's instrumentality submitted to Castillo a scheme to purchase the island of Cuba for \$100,000,000. In an interview between Castillo and Cardenas, the former is said to have rejected the proposition with scorn and to have disdainfully remarked, referring to the United States: "A nation of shopkeepers guaran-tee the word of Spain?" Miranda says he has not had any relations with Armas Car-denas, author of the pamphlet, for sev-

eral years past. Favors Cuban Independence.

ATLANTA, Nov. 30 .- United States Senator A. O. Bacon, of Macon, arrived in Atlanta this afternoon. He said: "Unless opinion has changed very materially, and I do not believe it has, there is an undoubted majority in the present House and Senate in favor of what some might call radical action—that is, the independence of the republic of Cuba being recognized by the American Congress. I am not a member of the foreign relations committee, and do not know whether the Republican majority will prevent action until McKinley is inaugurated, but I am in favor of the independence of Cuba and will so vote, and I believe that a majority will do likewise if the opportunity is presented.'

No Tobacco from Cuba.

TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 30.-Private advices from Havana received to-day are to the order and a great deal has been exported. Havana manufacturers have petitioned Weyler to close the Cuban ports on this tobacco, as North and Eastern manufacturers were buying all of it for exportation to this country.

HIS FOURTH TERM

co's President To-Day.

CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 30.-General Diaz will take the oath of office to-morrow as President of the republic for the fourth consecutive term, making five terms in the chief magistracy. The ceremony will be witnessed by a brilliant assembly of foreign diplomats and distinguished people. He is in robust health and his programme stantially his policy during this term, with cation. He will, if he lives, show, at the end of his term, which concludes the century, several railways crossing Mexico from sea to sea; gigantic port works and hundreds of new factories. The government will stick to the silver standard as the one best adapted to this country, and as affording it at the present rate of exagainst Antonio Maceo. The captain gen- change an immense protection to home ineral and his invited guests for supper that | dustries, while at the same time securing for its exports gold premium, which operates as a bounty to tropical planters. It is believed General Diaz may go around the world during the coming year, as the af-fairs of Mexico are in a prosperous con-

RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN.

wo Girls Killed and Another Dangerously Hurt at a Crossing.

IONIE, Mich., Nov. 30 .- The two Misses Taft and Miss Jessie Croel, sixteen-yearold girls, all of Orange township, met with a fatal accident at the "Big Cut," west of Lyons, this evening. The three were driving home from school at Lyons, when ther were struck by a Detroit, Lansing & Northern train. Both the Taft sisters were instantly killed. Miss Croel was dangerously hurt, the horse was killed and the vehicle wrecked.

CYCLE RACER CHALLENGED.

Eddie A. McDuffle Wants to Run Against Monte Scott. NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- Eddie A. McDuffee, the famous Boston cycle racer, who has just returned from England, has writ-

ten to the American Wheelman asking that Scott, the winner of the last Irvington-Milburn road race, and who recently met defeat at the hands of O. B. Hackenberger, of Denver. McDuffee challenged Scott just offices against which serious accusation match was not arranged. He now reissues the challenge and has posted with Dixle Wheelman, \$100 to bind the match. It is likely that the event, if arranged, will be | though action on a number of the others run off the week of Dec. 7 at the six-day races at Madison-square Garden. McDuffee now holds all competition records from five to ten miles made in a match race against Jimmy MacNeal at Boston in October. Monte Scott is from Providence and is one of the fastest riders in the East.

He is at present in Denver. Yale Relents Towards Harvard. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 30 .- The Yalo undergraduates enthusiastically, and with but six dissenting votes, declared themselves in mass meeting to-night in favor of resuming athletic relations with Harvard. The meeting was held in Alumni Hall and long before the appointed hour the students stood about the campus in groups discussing the question, and the feeling expressed on every side was a desire to again meet Harvard on the field of sports. The meeting was called to order by A.

Kerr, chairman of the board of editors of the Yale News. The students then began to sing "Here's to good old Yale," the chowhich ends with "My poor Harvard," but only a few sang the concluding refrain of the chorus, and they were promptly hissed down, which at once evidenced the students' feeling of good spirit toward their old rivals.

Morrella Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.-Morrella the once famous three-year-old king of the turf, died yesterday morning at the Rees ranch in Contra Costa county. The Futurity and Chicago Derby winner had for over thirteen weeks been suffering from paralysis, and, although the ablest of veterinary surgeons did their utmost to save him, their labors were for naught. In his best days Morrello was valued at over \$100,000. His sire was the great stallion Eolus and his dam the equally famous

Hebrew Sunday-School Union.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 30.—The Hebrew Sabbath School Union, an adjunct of American congregations, began its annual session this afternoon in the lecture room of the Young Men's Hebrew Association. The membership comprises nearly all the rabbis in the union. The officers are: munition. He will not, as the reports have | Rev. David Phillipson, of Cincinnati, president; Dr. Mielziner, vice president; M. A. Goodheart, treasurer, and Rev. Charles S. Levi, secretary. Dr. Phillipson made a plea for the establishment of mission schools in large cities for the children of the poor Papers were read by Rabbi Stotz, of Chicago, on "Post-confirmation Classes," and by Rev. Charles S. Levi, of Cincinnati, on

"Sabbath School Libraries." Revolver Tournament.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30,-The revolver The letter is dater "Ft. Cabanas, Calabozo cournament for the championship of the United States under the auspices of the Knickerbocker Athletic Club was begun this morning. The scores will be kept secret until Saturday, when the best scores will be estimated and the leaders will begin statements, the decision will not cause a rethe real contest for the championship. The versal of the policy of the department, and best score so far known is that of Dr. C. T. thus let in the claims of twenty thousand Cabanas by ordinary naval court-martial the real contest for the championship. The on Nov. 14. The complete depositions of Dr. Eliza Vedia, Jorgo Ferran, Teodoro Adams, who made 57 out of a possible 60.

SUPERINTENDENT KIMBALL'S RE-VIEW OF DEEDS OF LIFE SAVERS.

Millions of Dollars' Worth of Property and Several Thousand Lives Res-

TWO POSTMASTERS REMOVED

ONE WAS A RABID POPOCRAT, WHO INSULTED THE PRESIDENT.

the Other Adopted Unlawful Means to Increase His Salary-

General Foster on Hawali.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 .- The report of Mr. Kimball, the superintendent of the Life Saving Service for the year ending June 30, exhibits the most satisfactory results yet accomplished by that service. Although the total number of disasters was greater than in any prior year, the percentage of lives and property lost was less. At the close of the year the establishment comprised 256 stations, of which 186 were located on the Atlantic and gulf coasts, 55 on the great lakes, 14 on the Pacific coast and 1 at the Falls of the Ohio, Louisville,

The number of disasters to documented vessels within the scope of the service was 437, involving 4,608 persons, of whom 4,505 of the vessels was \$8,880,140, and of the cargoes, \$3,846,380, aggregating a total of \$12. 726,520. Of this amount \$1,432,750 was lost. The number of documented vessels totally lost was 67. There were also during the year 243 casualties to undocumented small crafts, sailboats, rowboats, etc. Of the 594 persons on board 587 were saved and 7 lost. The value of the property in those casualties is estimated at \$119,265, of which \$114,915 was saved. The total number of shipwrecked persons succored at the stations was 613. The total number of days' succor afforded was 1,436. Other persons (not on board of vessels), to the amount of 82, were rescued from drowning, all of whom would probably have perished but for the vigilance and prompt assistance of the life saving crews,

During the year the crews saved and assisted to save 472 vessels valued with their cargoes at \$4,853,110. Of this number 318 were saved without outside assistance, aggregating with their cargoes, a value of \$977,495, with loss of only \$11.713. In the remaining 154 instances the life saving crews assisted other agencies in saving property valued at \$3,599,775 out of a total of \$3,875. 615 imperiled. Less important assistance was rendered to 167 other vessels in distress. The patroimen also warned from danger by their night signals, 210 vessels and by day signals 19. The loss of life an property averted in these 329 instances course cannot be estimated, but the circumstances under which a large proportion of the warnings were made, indicate that it must have been very considerable. The cost of maintaining the serivce for the year was \$1,401,805. Attention is invited to the inadequacy of the compensation of the superintendents of the life-saving C's-tricts and their crews.

POSTMASTERS REMOVED.

One for Trying to Increase His Salary and Another for Insolence. WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 .- The President to-day made the following appointments

and removals of postmasters: Illinois-Evanston, Charles Raymond, vice David P. O'Leary, removed. Missouri-La Platta, J. W. Overstreet. vice Wm. E. Cele, deceased; Mexico, Luke W. Morris, vice John W. Mason, removed. The old postmaster at Evanston was charged with going out of his jurisdiction to sell stamps and postal supplies so as to increase the receipts of his office and taise his salary and allowances. This is

regarded as a serious violation of the rules,

and works to the detriment of adjacent The summary action in the case of the numerous serious charges which have been on file here since the political campaign closed. They include pernicious activity in politics, insulting the President and making attacks upon him, alleged neglect of office and other offenses. He is a believer in free-silver coinage, and the comp set out that during the campaign he made himself obnoxious by breaking up gatherings of the opposite political faith. In the neighborhood of a hundred postoffices are involved in charges of pernicious activity eral Wilson. They include a number of big general has been to act as leniently as possible and make removals only where necessary, and accordingly all the charges save

will shortly follow. HAWAII IS PROSPEROUS.

General Foster's Observations While Visiting the Islands.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 .- Mr. John W. Foster, former secretary of state, has returned to Washington from a six weeks' visit to Hawaii, whither he went as the representative of the Pacific Cable Company. In speaking of his visit Mr. Foster said: "The condition of business in Hawaii is flourishing. The islands are prosperous and their future is bright. The Pacific Mail has recently doubled its service, sending a steamer twice a month instead of once, as formerly, and a new line to soon expected to be established by the Japanese which will touch at the islands on the way to San Francisco. The peo of Hawaii wish to be annexed to the United States. The present government has the approval of a majority of the native Hawaiians and there is no likelihood there ever will be a restoration of the monarchy. The English and German element, however, are opposed to annexation to the United States because they believe it will interfere with their contract labor and so affect their interests commercially. The present government in its administration in giving satisfaction. Yet this government is only temporary and the people want to be annexed to the United States. The members of the government are pledged to it and the present constitution of the republic expresses this expectation. So it is the general belief that the matter should be decided at an early date, if possible. Mr. Foster said it was not apparent that Hawaii could maintain herself as an independent government in case the United States should refuse to annex the islands Although her people are lawabiding and the present government moves along smoothly and successfully, there is a continual fear, said Mr. Foster, that some change may occur. So far as the Hawallans are concerned, independently outside influences, they are capable of selfgovernment. In Mr. Foster's opinion, however, annexation is the only way out of the situation in which Hawah is placed.

POSTMASTERS' SALARIES.

Misleading Report Corrected by Assistant Attorney General Thomas. WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 .- Assistant Attorney General Thomas to-day disposed of a misleading report which has been going the rounds of the papers relative to a recent decision of the United States Supreme Court in the case of the United States against William J. Verdier for the readjustment of postmasters' salaries under the acts of July 12, 1866, and March 3, 1883,

postmasters, aggregating \$20,500,000, which